

FIGHT IN BEHALF OF SOCIALISTS IS QUICKLY BLOCKED

Amos Offers Four Res-
olutions Which Are
Tabled for Week

TRIAL AGAIN PROCEEDS

Stanchfield Drives Home Telling
Point Baring Socialists' In-
ability to Take Oath of Office

Albany, Jan. 27.—The fight in the
assembly in behalf of the five suspended
Socialist members being tried for
alleged disloyalty was renewed tonight
but was quickly blocked.

(Assemblyman) William C. Amos of
New York called up four resolutions
which he introduced last night but
which were laid over for a day on the
ground that they were not privileged.
They were read tonight but on objection
to debate were tabled for a week
under the rules of the house.

The resolutions called on the assembly
judiciary committee conducting
the trial to extend to the New York
City Bar association on behalf of the
public the same privileges extended
counsel for the defendants; demanded
of Martin W. Littleton, associate
committee counsel, information as to whether
his charge of treason was based
on evidence or was merely oratory;
requested a full bill of particulars
against the Socialists, and provided
for discharge of the judiciary committee
from further consideration of the
qualifications of the Socialists.

Stanchfield Makes Telling Points.

Albany, Jan. 27.—Tactics adopted
today by the prosecution at the trial
of the five suspended Socialist assemblymen
charged with disloyalty served
to substantiate the report that counsel
for the assembly judiciary committee
will seek to prove the defendants unfit
to serve because they took their oaths
of office with "mental reservations."

Without comment and simply by in-
troduction of evidence in logical se-
quence, John B. Stanchfield, committee
counsel, drove into the record the following
thrust of cold steel—that although
the five assemblymen, by a
class in their party constitution, face
expulsion if they vote appropriations
for military or naval purposes, they
nevertheless have sworn to uphold the
constitution of this state, which places
upon the legislature the duty of pro-
viding funds for maintenance of the
militia.

Evidence of this seeming inconsis-
tency was sandwiched between read-
ing of a radical document which as-
serted that "Socialists seek to enter
into the government to be nearer the
doors of the chambers where dicta-
tors sit and to hinder the dictatorial
work in any way possible," and the
manifesto adopted by the Socialists at
their national convention in Chicago
last year, which was termed by the
prosecution a pledge of support to
Lenin and Trotsky to aid in organiza-
tion of a third international.

Speeches Introduced as Evidence.

Committee counsel, which has
charged that American Socialists were
agents of "an invisible empire pro-
jecting itself as a revolutionary force
into other countries," then introduced
speeches made at the celebration in
New York of the second anniversary of
the Russian revolution and a letter
purporting to be written by the Social-
ist organization in the eighth assembly
district in New York pledging support
to Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, self-styled
Russian Soviet "ambassador" to the
United States, and approving estab-
lishment in America of the Soviet
form of government. This district is
represented by Assemblyman Louis
Waldman, a defendant, one of whose
speeches in defense of Soviet Russia
also was introduced.

As far as the spectators, at least,
were concerned, the sensation of the
day was the evidence bearing on the
ability of the defendants consistently
to take their oaths of office. Accom-
panied by no outbursts of rhetoric or
passing comment, Mr. Stanch-
field brought out:

That the national constitution of the
Socialist party, dated 1917 and un-
changed since then, provides that "any
member elected to office who shall in
any way vote to appropriate money
for military or naval purposes or war
shall be expelled from the party."

That the defendants, as members
of their county organizations, were
subject to the doctrines of the na-
tional party.

That the defendants had taken the
following oath: "I solemnly swear I
will obey the constitution of the state
of New York."

That, defining the organization of
the militia, the state constitution de-
crees "it shall be the duty of the legis-
lature at each session to make suffi-
cient appropriation for the man-
agement thereof."

Only Two New Witnesses Called.

Only two new witnesses took the
stand today—Willard L. Bottoms of
Brooklyn, a shorthand reporter, and
Michael J. Driscoll of New York, a
former president of the Associated Ad-
vertising Clubs of the World, dropped
dead in the Union League Club today
of heart failure. Mr. Woodhead was
the manager of Sperry & Hutch-
inson, the advertising agency.

Predicts 4,000 New Cases
of "Flu" in N. Y. Today

New York, Jan. 27.—Dr. Royal
S. Copeland, city health commis-
sioner, tonight predicted that there
would be more than 4,000 influenza
cases reported in New York to-
morrow but that the present low death
rate would be maintained. Fifty-
seven deaths and 3,663 new cases
on influenza were reported today,
the highest number since the out-
break began a week ago.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Deaths from
influenza and pneumonia today es-
tablished a new high mark for the
disease this winter, but new cases
reported to the health department
showed a decrease from yesterday's
total.

Deaths from influenza for the last
24 hours numbered 96, an increase
of 10, while pneumonia caused 91
deaths an increase of 11. There
were 1,378 cases of influenza re-
ported today, an increase of 238
from Monday, and pneumonia cases
totaled 260, a decrease of 107.

None were subjected to lengthy ex-
amination.

Most of the afternoon session was
occupied by reading of the manifesto
adopted at the congress of the Com-
munist International at Moscow on
March 26, 1919, signed by Lenin and
Trotzky and calling for civil war to
place the "working class" in the saddle.
The manifesto adopted at the
Chicago convention, which also was
read, was termed by the prosecution
"the response from the national con-
vention of the Socialist party." The
two were referred to as "two souls
with but a single thought; two hearts
that beat as one."

Seymour Stedman, defense counsel,
objected to introduction of the Mos-
cow manifesto because "there is no
evidence that the document was ever
read or even endorsed before or by
the national convention of the Social-
ist party." He objected to the attempt
to interpret the Chicago convention's
manifesto as a reply to the Moscow
document, declaring that the Socialist
party did not endorse that declaration
of principles and that evidence would
show at the time the Socialists were
meeting "there was another conven-
tion in the city of Chicago of the
Communists, between whom there was
a clearly-marked distinction."

Stedman Challenges Stanchfield.

Counsel differences also developed
when Mr. Stanchfield read the major-
ity and minority reports adopted at the
Chicago convention and submitted for
referendum. After Mr. Stanchfield
had asserted "our information is that
the minority report was adopted by a
vote of 3,475 to 1,144," Mr. Stedman
asserted the majority report was
adopted and added that while the
majority report neither approved nor
disapproved the Moscow manifesto,
the minority report recognized the
Moscow International but specifically
rejected the acceptance or approval of
the tactics and theories."

The speech of Assemblyman Wald-
man introduced today, which was
made in Brooklyn in November last,
touched on subjects ranging from the
comfort of wearing soft collars to the
ease with which divorce was obtain-
able in modern Russia, from a denun-
ciation of "Wall Street" for "dictat-
ing the policy of Woodrow Wilson" on
the Russian question, to announce-
ment that feudal lords of Great
Britain, fearing the example of France,
had paid Edmund Burke \$10,000 a year
"to fight the French revolution."

Concluding with a defense of Soviet
Russia and denial that women had
been nationalized, "although I believe
Tammam Hall could produce a thing
like that," the speech ended with the
following paragraph:

"We must elect between two alter-
natives. Either Russia lives and con-
quers the world—not Russia con-
quers the world, but its ideas and philoso-
phy worthy of the Russian govern-
ment today should conquer the world;
that or the ideas and philoso-
phy of Gary and Wilson and Palmer,
Lloyd George and Clemenceau are to
conquer the world. Between the two,
for my part and for the part of thou-
sands of Socialists now battling in
America today, we choose to stand by
the ideas, philosophy, program and
principles of Lenin and Trotsky."

PATIENTS RESCUED FROM FIRE.

New York, Jan. 27.—Three hundred
patients in the Lenox Hill hospital,
formerly the German hospital, on East
74th st., were quietly moved to safety
when fire broke out in the upper op-
erating rooms at 2 o'clock this after-
noon. Three alarms brought fire ap-
paratus, ambulances and police re-
sponse to the scene, but the blaze was
quickly extinguished without injury or
loss of life.

NEWBERRY TRIAL ON TODAY.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 27.—The
trial of Senator Newberry and 123 of
his associates in the 1918 senatorial
campaign will be predicted tonight
into full swing tomorrow morning.

Half a dozen defendants who have
been stalled on show-hound trains
reached the city tonight.

ADVERTISING STAR HEAD DIES.

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ONEONTA, N. Y., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1920

WAR WRECKS ARE
POORLY TREATED,
JOHNSON STATES

Funds Appropriated Not
Being Used, Dakota
Congressman Says

ASSAILS GLASS, BLUE

Charges Their Opposition to Tak-
ing Over Chicago Hospital Is
Cause of Distress

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of his appeal to a church congrega-
tion in Brooklyn tonight to oppose
any legislation for the return of the
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sion to whom he had spoken, General O'Ryan said, were unanimous
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STATE DRY BILL
IS INTRODUCED

It Sponsors Cite Inability of Fed-
eral Government to Rigidly
Enforce Prohibition

MEASURE WIDE IN SCOPE

Is Designed to Provide for Four
Classes of Liquor Traffic; Local
Option Provision

Byrnes Defends Secretary Glass.

Representative Byrnes, Democrat of
South Carolina, interrupted to say
that the purchase of the speedway
hospital was directed by congress on
the condition that the hospital "could
be made to meet the needs of the public
health service" and that Secretary
Glass under the legislation could not
purchase the property on the conditions
of the bill say there should be regulation
of the liquor traffic inasmuch as
considerable latitude is allowed under
the federal statutes, and that a state
enforcement department is necessary
because the federal government has
not created and cannot create im-
mediately a force sufficient without
state aid to enforce the provisions of
the Volstead act.

Four Classes of Liquor Traffic.

The bill is designed to provide for
four classes of liquor traffic under cer-
tificates granted by the state commis-
sioner of excise, as follows: Liquors
for use internally, to be sold by a
pharmacist upon a physician's pre-
scription, or for religious purposes;
patent medicines and extracts contain-
ing more than one-half of one per cent
of alcohol; manufacturing liquors for
sale to pharmacists or religious pur-
poses or to be used in the manufac-
ture of articles containing alcohol;
traffic in liquors by wholesale dealers
in drugs.

The bill contains a provision for lo-
cal option in cities and towns on the
question of sales by pharmacists upon
physicians' prescriptions; the present
conditions under local option to re-
main until changed by resubmission
of the local option question.

All taxes, fines, penalties and bond
forfeitures would be payable to the
state instead of the federal govern-
ment, as provided in the Volstead act.

New Bill Surpasses All Others.

The proposed law, according to its
framers, the officials of the excise de-
partment, contains all the restrictive
provisions of the former state liquor
law, together with all the re-
strictive features of the federal en-
forcement act, including the definition
of intoxicating liquors as those con-
taining more than one-half of one per
cent of alcohol.

The authors of the bill declare that
it surpasses any other measure so far
proposed, in that it provides a self-
supporting state department that will
prove efficient in enforcing the law;
that it defines "trafficking in liquors"
more closely than any other bill; that
it limits the sale of liquor for internal
use more closely than any other bill,
none of which places any limit on the
amount of fermented or malt liquors
which may be sold on a physician's
prescription; that it is the only bill
that provides for local option on sales
on prescriptions; and that it is the
only bill that limits or controls the
sale of denatured or wood alcohol, or
patent medicines after being man-
ufactured.

POWHATAN TOWED INTO PORT;
RESCUE SHIP IS NEARLY SUNK

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 27.—The dis-
abled United States army transport
Pocahontas was towed into Halifax har-
bor at 1:30 this evening. Captain
Sandall, her commander, reported
that with the exception of three men
he was not prepared to go
further at the present time, and left
it to greater wireless experts than
himself to describe the effect of such
waves.

Interviewed today, Signor Marconi
said:

"They are sound. They may be sig-
nals—we do not know. They are not
what operators call atmospheric, and
we have nothing to guide us at present
as to how they are caused."

"We do not get them unless we set
up a special wave length, very much
greater than the wave length ordinary-
ly used. Some times there must be
a long wait before we hear anything,
or we may hear the sounds in 20 min-
utes or half an hour. They occur when
we are using a wave length of approx-
imately 300 kilometers, which is three
or four times the length used for com-
mercial purposes."

Men of 27th Oppose Mov-
ing Soldier Dead—O'Ryan

TO MAKE FINAL
MOVE THURSDAY
FOR COMPROMISE

But Senators Still Are
Doubtful Agreement
Can Be Reached

ART. X BIG OBSTACLE

Monroe Doctrine Also Causing
Much Trouble—Some Look
for Wilson to Act

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Washington, Jan. 27.—Peace
treaty compromise negotiations, hovering
on the verge of dissolution, were
given today a 48-hour lease on life.
But there was nothing in the development
which changed the pessimistic views
of the senate leaders as to the final outcome.

The Democrats, replying to the Re-
publican refusal to compromise, re-
served to Article X and the Monroe
doctrine, charged at a stormy session
of the bi-partisan committee conference
that Republican leaders had suddenly
changed front after most of the conferees had consented to an Article
X compromise in definite form. To this
the Republicans gave a categorical de-
nial, declaring no one had agreed to
the proposed compromise draft.

After two hours of wrangling, dur-
ing which the Democrats threatened
to transfer the whole subject to the
open senate, the conference agreed to
meet again Thursday in another ef-
fort to bring the negotiations to a
successful conclusion. A few senators
professed to see some rays of hope in
the situation, but to most of the lead-
ers the outlook appeared far from
promising.

Numerous Private Conferences.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Henry P.
Fletcher has resigned as United States
ambassador to Mexico to take effect
in the course of the next few weeks.

Mr. Fletcher, his friends say, is con-
vinced that a continuation of the ef-
forts he has made the four years in
which he has held this important post
to bring the Carranza government into
accord with the United States govern-
ment on the many irritating issues
which have arisen, involving the pro-
tection of American lives and property
rights, would be futile.

He was in the diplomatic branch of
the government for eight years. The
ambassador's activities in the presenta-
tion of the American demands have
made it certain that he could not re-
turn to his post with benefit to either
government.

State department officials tonight did
not offer any confirmation of the re-
ported resignation and Mr. Fletcher
himself is absent from Washington.

Mr. Fletcher was appointed ambas-
sador to Mexico in February, 1916,

but did not go to Mexico until Febr-

uary of the following year, having come

to the United States from Chile, where

he had been ambassador. The rela-

tions between the United States and

Mexico were quite critical at the time

Mr. Fletcher reached Mexico City. Lit-

the more than two months after his ar-

ival he was missed in the Mexican

chamber of deputies when he attended

the opening session.

Ambassador Fletcher returned from

Mexico a year ago and the affairs of

the embassy there since that time have

been conducted by George T. Sumner

in charge of affairs.

Organizing Committee's Hard Task.

The organizing committee is expect-
ed to have a most difficult and com

Many School Children are Sickly

and take cold easily, are feverish and constipated, have headaches, stomach or bowel trouble.



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Get a package from your druggist for use when needed.

Do Not Accept Any Substitute for MOTHER CRAY'S SWEET POWDERS.

Doctor Tells How to Detect Harmful Effects of Tobacco

Try These SIMPLE TESTS

New York: Doctor Connor, formerly of Johns Hopkins hospital, says: Many men who smoke, chew or snuff incessantly and who are seemingly healthy are suffering from progressive organic ailments. Thousands of them would never have been afflicted had it not been for the use of tobacco. The tobacco habit shows well if they would only stop the use of tobacco. The chief habit forming principle of tobacco is nicotine, a deadly poison which when absorbed by the system shows itself in the membranes, tissues and vital organs of the body. The harmful effect of tobacco varies and depends on circumstances. One will be afflicted with general debility, others with constipation, extreme nervousness, insomnia, loss of memory, lack of will power, mental confusion, etc. Others may suffer from heart disease, bronchial trouble, induration of the arterios, tuberculosis, biliousness or any cancerous or chronic affliction known as tobacco heart. If you use tobacco in any form you can easily detect the harmful effects by making the following simple tests. Read aloud one full page from a book, then the course of reading your voice becomes hoarse, hoarseness and indistinct, and you must frequently clear your throat; the chances are that your throat is affected by catarrh and it will be the beginning of more serious trouble. Next, in the morning before taking your usual smoke, walk up

Try a Classified "Ad" in The Star—They Produce Results

AMERICAN TROOPS CAPTURE SEMENOFF ARMORED TRAIN

(By The Associated Press.)

Vladivostok, Sunday, Jan. 26.—Thirty-eight Americans, members of the railroad guard detachment on duty at Posolska, near Varyhne-Udinsk, on January 10, captured one of General Semenoff's armored trains. The Cossack general commanding it was killed and all the officers were captured. The train without provocation had attacked the American detachment which was sleeping in box cars.

TO PROTECT STATE INTERESTS.

Albany, Jan. 26.—Governor Smith, in a message to the legislature tonight, urged that the senate and assembly call attention to the New York members of congress "to protect the interests of this state" in respect to the Cumming and Esch railroad bill now before congress. The action was taken on recommendations of the Public Service commission, which claimed that under the proposed legislation state control of railroads would be seriously interfered with by government agencies.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN ORGANIZE.

New York Jan. 27.—The charter of the Women Democrats of America, a national organization of women formed "to better conditions in the Democratic party," was approved today by Justice Peter A. Hendrick. Miss Margaret Vail inaugurated the movement at a recent meeting of the Women's Democratic club and it has been sponsored by Mrs. George N. Childs, president of the club. Mrs. George Bass, chairman of the Women's bureau of the National Democratic committee, has endorsed the organization.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE AGAIN IS UNSETTLED

Absolute Indifference Manifested by Traders, However; Some Features of Strength

New York, Jan. 27.—The noteworthy feature of today's listless stock market was the absolute indifference manifested by its firm to strong tone to further demoralization of the international credit situation. Foreign exchanges were again in the throes of unsettlement, rates on London and all principal continental points dropping to new low levels. The extent of the collapse may be gauged from the fact that it encompassed most of the so-called "neutral countries," including Scandinavian centers, hitherto relatively exempt.

In substance, the further crash was again ascribed more directly to the policy of credit contraction upon which the Federal Reserve board recently embarked. This now appears to be making itself felt in American bank loans to European buyers of our merchandise.

Stocks that have been most conspicuous since last Saturday's unexpected rally were again in the foreground, especially steels, equipments, motors and oils. Extreme gains in these classes extended from 2 to 7 points.

Other features of strength included food and chemical issues, metals, shipyards and tobaccos, the latter improving on the stock dividend declared by United Cigars. For all practical purposes the railway list ceased to exist, dealing in that quarter being of the smallest proportions.

United States Steel approximated its highest quotations of the past fortnight at a fractional gain, but yielded active leadership to a few other issues of the same description. The financial statement of the Steel corporation for the last quarter of 1919, showing a decrease of almost \$4,400,000 in net earnings, did not appear until after the close of the market.

Sales of stocks amounted to 700,000 shares.

Bonds failed to reflect the general strength of the stock market. Liberty issues and internationals easing variably. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$12,450,000. Old United States bonds were unchanged on call.

New York Produce.

Butter—Steady; receipts, 5,571. Creamery, higher than extras, 64 1/4 @ 66; creamery, extras (92 score), 64; creamery, firsts (88 @ 91 score), 53 1/4 @ 63 1/4; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 42.

Eggs—Unsettled; receipts, 6,580; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 69 @ 71; firsts, 66 @ 65; state, Penna. and nearby western henney whites, firsts to extras, 75 @ 83; state, Penna. and nearby henney browns, extras, 73 @ 74; do, gathered browns and mixed colors, firsts to extras, 67 @ 72.

Cheese—Irregular; receipts, 1,382; state, whole milk, flats, held, specials, 12 @ 32 1/2; do, average run, 30 1/2 @ 31 1/2; state, whole milk, twins, held, specials, 30 1/2 @ 32; do, average run, 29 1/2 @ 31.

Rye—Weak; No. 2 western, 185 1/2. Live poultry—Steady; fowls, 42; dressed, steady; prices, unchanged.

New York Meats.

Beef—Receipts, 525; no trading.

Calves—Receipts, 1,160; steady; common to prime veal, \$20.00 @ 25.00; culs and little culs, \$16.00 @ 19.00; fed calves, \$11.00 @ 13.00; barnyard calves, \$9.00 @ 10.00; yearlings, \$6.00 @ 8.25; westerns, \$11.50 @ 14.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,490; steady; sheep, \$8.00 @ 11.50; culs, \$5.00 @ 7.00; yearlings, \$15.00 @ 17.00; lambs, \$18.00 @ 21.50; culs, \$16.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,490; steady at \$16.00 @ 16.50 for heavy to medium light weights; pigs, \$16.00; roughs, \$13.25.

Chicago Grain.

Open High Low Close

CORN—May 135 1/2 135 1/2 184 1/2 135 1/2

July 132 1/2 132 1/2 181 1/2 132 1/2

OATS—May 83 1/2 83 1/2 82 1/2 83 1/2

July 75 1/2 75 1/2 75 1/2 75 1/2

ONEONTA MARKET.

Price Paid Producers.

Butter, creamery 64 @ 65

Butter, fresh dairy 53 @ 64

Potatoes, bushel 11.75

Eggs, fresh laid, dozen .. 70

Dressed pork 20 @ 22

Native beef 12 @ 14

Veal 13 @ 22

Powis 20 @ 22

Turnips, bushel 55 @ 60

Carrots, bushel 1.00

Apples, bushel 81 @ 82

Grain and Feed at Retail.

Corn Meal, cwt \$2.50

Cracked Corn 2.56

Corn, per bu., old 1.94

Table Meal 3.10

Corn and oats 3.58

Ground oats 5.58

Cats 11.14

Scratch feed for fowls, cwt 8.15

Wheat bran 8.80

Buckwheat, cwt 22.32

INNOCENT OF SERIOUS CHARGE.

Mineola, Jan. 26.—William S. Menken, who had general supervision of the engineering work in the Malbone street tunnel, where more than 90 persons were killed in November, 1918, in the wreck of a Brooklyn Rapid Transit train, today was acquitted of a charge of manslaughter in connection with the disaster. A verdict of not guilty was returned by a supreme court jury upon the order of Justice Callaghan, who ruled that the defendant could not be held in criminal proceedings for failure to exercise foresight which would have resulted in the installation of automatic safety devices.

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However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure

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MARGUERITE CLARK

"WIDOW BY PROXY"

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Ben Turpin

—IN—

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Typical Oliver Morosco Big City Cast and Production

THE PLAY THAT MADE HAWAIIAN MUSIC FAMOUS

FIRST TIME IN ONEONTA OF THE MOST TALKED OF PLAY OF THE CENTURY

FIRST TIME ANYWHERE AT THESE PRICES.

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All statements contained in this advertisement, while not guaranteed, are secured from sources which we regard as accurate and reliable and upon which we have acted in the purchase of this issue.

OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

OTSEGO NEWS LETTER.

Joint Meeting of Farm Bureau and Home Bureau Next Monday.

Otsego, Jan. 27. — Next Monday at 1:30 p. m. a joint meeting of the farm bureau and the home bureau will be held in Otsego at Hotel Stelle. Interesting speakers will be in attendance and all can expect to learn something of benefit.

Following the joint session the ladies will go into a separate conference.

A regular demonstration will be given and the program for the coming year's work will be discussed. Each member should attend and bring someone else.

Important Earnest Workers' Meeting.

The Earnest Workers of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual business meeting at the home of Mrs. Mary Baldwin, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. It is urged that all members attend as there are several matters of importance to come before the society.

Ely Jester Critically Ill.

Ely Jester is critically ill with pneumonia and grave fears are felt as to the outcome.

Spend Week-End Here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Conner of East Meredith spent the week-end at the home of W. J. Conner.

MT. VISION NEWS.

Joint Meeting of Farm Bureau and Home Economics Next Tuesday.

Mt. Vision, Jan. 27. — The annual Farm bureau meeting will be held at the Grange hall Tuesday next at 1:30 p. m. There will be a joint meeting of the Farm bureau and Home Economics department, followed by special programs for the Farm bureau and the Home Economics department. Miss Van Cleef will be present and speak on how to make the house interior attractive. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mercury Drops Out of Sight.

The thermometer registered 30 degrees below zero in some sections Sunday night in the village and 26 below in others. The hill roads are in a bad condition.

Preaches as a Candidate.

Rev. A. N. Denny of Elmira preaches

11 HENS IDLE; NOW LAY 221 EGGS A MONTH

Mrs. Young Almost Gave Up Raising Chickens. Then She Tried This Plan.

"When I accepted your offer and tried Don Sung, I had been getting 1 or 2 eggs every other day. The next month, using 50 cents worth of Don Sung, my 11 hens laid 221 eggs. I almost gave up raising chickens, but now I have decided to raise as many as I can." — Mrs. F. C. Young, Bellfonte, Pa.

Feed is too expensive to waste on idle hens. You can easily start your hens laying and keep them laying even in cold weather. To prove it, call on me to accept our offer, as Mrs. Young did.

Give your hens Don Sung and watch results for one month. If you don't find that it pays for itself and pays you a good profit besides, tell me and your money will be promptly refunded. Don Sung (Chinese for egg-laying) works directly on the egg-laying organs, and is also a splendid tonic. It is well known in the trade that the hen's health makes her more active in any weather, and starts her laying.

Try Don Sung for 30 days and if it doesn't get you the eggs, no matter how cold or wet the weather, your money will be refunded by return mail. Get Don Sung from your druggist or poultry remedy dealer or send 50 cents for a package by mail prepaid. Burrell-Dugger Co., 224 Columbia Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

THE DAY AT HOBART.

Hobart, Jan. 27.—Mrs. A. L. O'Connor spent Saturday with friends in Prattsville. — Mrs. Sam Paradee of Port Ewan is at the Commercial house for a few weeks' stay with her husband. — Miss Ida Clark spent the week-end in Oneonta. — The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church will give a thimble party at the home of Mrs. Frank H. Odell on Thursday afternoon to which everyone is cordially invited. Refreshments will be served and a free-will offering will be taken. Convalescents will leave A. T. Carroll's store at 2:30 o'clock. — At a meeting of the Directors of the National Bank of Hobart the old officers were re-elected as follows: Hon. J. R. Stevenson, president; J. Lawrence, vice president; F. M. Lyon, cashier; Hector E. Cowan, assistant cashier. — Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sheffield are absent on a business trip to New York. — The Mission Study class of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. C. B. Hoagland on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. — Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hurlbert are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Doergart.

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Sold by druggists,
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The undersigned trustees of School Dist. No. 12 in the town of Oneonta, West Oneonta, N. Y., hereby give notice of the erection of a new school building on the site of the old school structure in the village of West Oneonta.

Buildings will consist of the removal of the old structure, erecting a new school building and painting an 18x24 ft. room which will be used for a library room.

Plans and specifications for the work may be had of Mr. Phil Jenkins, chairman of the board, or Mr. L. J. Archibald, at Oneonta.

Successful Box Social Held.

There was a large crowd present at the social held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Kellam Friday evening. The social was for the benefit of the Methodist Episcopal church at Ferrierville. The evening was spent in singing and games until the wee small

hours of morning. Proceeds of sale, which Daniel Franklin is erecting, —

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The extraordinary story of Dolores, the swimming girl of the Canadian wilds, and "Wapi, the Killer," the great dog who fights the fight of his fighting life to save her from men of prey more heartless than the beasts of the forest.

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Play a unique part in the story

Greatest Dog Sledge Race
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Unique, beautiful, daring!

See Dolores' desperate swim down the mountain rapids
Miss Shipman really does this hazardous swim herself

See Dolores fight for love and life aboard the whaler

Scenes actually made at sea

"Are Flirts Foolish?"

A Christie Comedy sure to please.

"Screen Magazine"

Science and Education blended in an entertaining manner.

"HAWAII"

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All the smaller features changed tomorrow—Be sure to have the children see "BACK TO GOD'S COUNTRY"

Coming Friday— "Gladys Brockwell" in "Flames of Flesh"

Saturday— "J. Warren Kerrigan" in "Live Sparks"

Coming next Monday and Tuesday— "EYES OF YOUTH" with "CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG"—The famous play that had a most successful run of over 2 years. This production cost over \$250,000.00 to produce and is "MISS YOUNG'S" finest achievement.

hours of morning. Proceeds of sale, which Daniel Franklin is erecting, —

A meeting of the Ladies' Aid society

of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held with Mrs. E. C. Smith, February 2, at 2 p. m. All members are requested to be present.

Grand Union Chocolate Filling.

For making delicious chocolate pudding, chocolate pie, chocolate layer cake, chocolate eclairs and chocolate sauce. Grand Union Tea company, advt 51

Norwich Retailers Note.

The retail merchants of Norwich, at

a meeting held Monday evening, voted

to hold a three-day community sale

on July 15, 16 and 17 next, after the

plan of one recently held.

They also

plan to grant a half holiday weekly

from Jul. 1 to Sept. 12, and com-

pleted the evening's work by 9 o'clock

so as to spend the daylight hours from

June 1 to Sept. 16, in closing their

stores at 8 instead of 6 o'clock.

NOTICE is hereby given that John de Lauer

has petitioned and obtained an injunction

against the use and application of the

name "John de Lauer" to any busi-

ness or trade or to any vehicle or

passenger car, truck, bus, etc., in the

portion of Oneonta, New York, in which

the business of John de Lauer is located.

Take further notice that the name

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THE UN-DEPORTED.

In the past few years there are many who have come to think of America, meaning thereby the United States, not as a nation perhaps at all, but rather as a land where there is a great mixture of races, tongues and clashing doctrines. All such have the wrong viewpoint. They have been thinking of America as a place and not as an ideal, and have overlooked the fact that the real America consists of Americans and nothing else.

Millions of immigrants have crossed the ocean from the Old World. They have reached our shores, but many of them have never reached the true America. On the other hand, many of our native born are not now and never have been Americans. There is no such thing as an "American Red." There is no such thing as an "American L. W. W."

An American is a man who feels American, thinks American and acts American—no matter where he was born.

American has plenty of room and a warm welcome for those who wish to become Americans, but it cannot spare a single square foot of soil to those who intend to continue un-American and anti-American. Fortunately we can deport some of the most noxious of these intruders, but these are but a small percentage of the unfit. What about the remainder?

There is but one answer: They must be Americanized.

This, however, is not a task for the Department of Justice, not even for congress and the various state legislatures; it is a task for the rank and file of American citizens. It is a task of education plus, and of influence plus; it is really a task of moral coercion. It is a task for swift and energetic action, wherein American citizens in all their vast numbers must seize opportunities when they exist, and create opportunities when they exist, and create opportunities when they do not exist, to Americanize all who come within their own circles or else to cast them out of their circles.

It is no time to talk of "broad-minded sympathy" or of "conciliation," where a great question of right and wrong is involved. You cannot "conciliate" evil any more than you can "conciliate" a configuration.

FOUR BILLION TRADE BADANCE.

The excess of American exports over imports in 1919 amounted to \$4,017,000,000, a new record, according to a statement issued today by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce. Exports for 1919 totaled \$7,922,000,000, as compared with \$6,149,000,000, while imports were valued at \$3,904,000,000, against \$3,031,000,000 in 1918.

December exports amounted to \$881,000,000, a falling off from the \$741,000,000 recorded for November. Imports also fell off for December, the total being \$381,000,000, as compared with \$425,000,000 for November. Both exports and imports were higher than in December a year ago.

The imports of gold in 1919 amounted to \$77,000,000, compared with \$62,000,000 in 1918 and \$552,000,000 in 1917. Exports of gold in 1919 jumped to \$568,000,000 from \$11,000,000 in 1918. In 1917 they amounted to \$372,000,000.

No marked change is noted in the imports or exports of silver, receipts amounting to \$89,000,000 and shipments to \$239,000,000 in 1919.

Y. M. C. A. ITEMS.

Many Meetings to be Held at Association in Near Future.

G. M. Shepherd, state high school boys' secretary, and W. E. Fenn, state religious work secretary, would like to meet all High school boys of Oneonta at a "Bean Supper," at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday, February 6, at 6:15 p. m. The price will be 25 cents. Membership in the Y. M. C. A. is not necessary.

A special meeting of the grade school boys of Oneonta is called for 4:30 p. m., Friday, February 6, at the Y. M. C. A. W. E. Fenn, commonly known as "Pop" Fenn, will talk to the boys at that time.

Supper will be served to all the employed boys of the Y. M. C. A., their friends, the men and young men of the city, on Tuesday, February 3, at 6:30 p. m. The price is 25 cents. Mr. Fenn will address the meeting.

Mr. Fenn and Mr. Shepherd will speak to a men's mass meeting at the Y. M. C. A. on February 8 at 6 o'clock.

The employed boys, young men and men will be organized into a Yoke-fellow's club for religious and other work.

A meeting of all the Y. M. C. A. committees is called for Monday night, February 2, with Mr. Fenn.

Attendance at the Y. M. C. A. of all kinds is increasing. Bowling alleys and pool tables are kept busy by boys and men; there is a satisfactory demand for cards; the beds for railroad men are full, and the reading room receives much attention.

HAVE YOU FRIENDS IN EUROPE?

If So, You Can Get Food Drafts Payable in Five Countries by American Relief Administration.

There are many residents of Oneonta and vicinity who come from the countries of Central Europe and who have relatives still residing there, to whom, if it were possible, they would be glad to send food supplies. Unfortunately, however, to this time such shipments have been difficult and expensive, the only way to send the food being by mail, and it is the experience of one Oneonta, whose relatives in Poland had appealed to him that the \$2 which he spent here for food required practically the same sum more for postage before it could be sent.

To obviate this difficulty and to make the delivery of foods more speedy and less expensive, the American Relief administration, of which Herbert Hoover is chairman, has devised a plan which should prove effective. It is the issuing of drafts, similar in general plan to the regular foreign exchange but payable in food-stuffs instead of money. There are four of these drafts, two of them costing \$10 each and the other two \$50 each. These drafts purchased in the banks of this or any other city, can be sent directly by the purchaser by mail to the person for whom intended and whose name is on the draft. The recipient takes it to the central office in his country, or arranges for its delivery to him if not residing at a convenient distance, and receives from the established storehouse of American foods the articles called for by the draft. While these central warehouses are located at present only at Hamburg, Warsaw, Vienna, Prague and Budapest, the various governments in whose territories the Relief administration operates will lend all possible assistance to such denveries of food.

Form A, costing \$10, is good for 2½ pounds of flour, 10 of dry beans, 8 of bacon and 8 cans of milk at the main warehouses, which are in Germany, Austria, Poland, Hungary and Czechoslovakia. Form B, at same cost, secures 24½ pounds of flour, 10 pounds of beans, 7½ of cottonseed oil and 12 cans of milk. Form C costs \$50 and is good for 140 pounds of flour, 50 of beans, 15 of lard, 12 of canned beef, 16 of bacon and 48 cans of milk. Form D is for 140 pounds of flour, 50 pounds of beans, 45 of cottonseed oil and 48 cans of milk.

The Citizens' National and Wilber National banks of Oneonta are each prepared to furnish these drafts to applicants who desire to send food to relatives and friends abroad, or if there are any who desire to contribute to general relief rather than a specified individual, he may do so and the Relief administration will see to it that the food is properly distributed.

Further information can be secured by anyone interested at either of the banks of the city.

Sunday School Representatives Meet.

On Monday afternoon, Sunday school representatives of Otsego county met at the Y. M. C. A. The meeting was to have included representatives from Delaware county also, but unfortunately they were unable to attend. A tentative organization was formed with W. A. Holley as treasurer. Funds coming from the state to division 22, including Otsego and Delaware counties, will be intrusted to Mr. Holley.

Hoover Says.

Herbert Hoover, who carried America's splendid aid to Belgium and other war-stricken countries, says: "In my opinion, in the Near East is the most desperate situation in the world."

FEDERAL INCOME TAX BLANKS.

Deputy Collector Taylor Has Not Yet Received All Blanks for 1919 Returns.

John S. Taylor, deputy collector of internal revenue, with offices in the Oneonta postoffice building, room 221, second floor, announces that he has received a supply of Federal Income Tax blanks, form 1949, for distribution. These forms are for individual returns where the income is \$5,000 or more.

"Forms 1940-A for net incomes less than \$5,000," says Mr. Taylor, "have not been released and it will probably be a week or ten days before these forms will be available. Taxpayers who filed income tax returns for 1918 or 1919 forms will receive their forms through the mails direct from the Syracuse office, and should wait for them. Others who used the 1940-A forms in making their 1918 returns and require the larger form 1940 for making their 1919 returns may get them at the office of Mr. Taylor. Farmers are required under the Revenue act of 1918 to take inventories January 1 of each and every year the same as a business man and should use for this purpose form 1940-F."

Commencing January 25, Mr. Taylor will be in his office every week day until further notice from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and from 1 to 5:30 p. m. to give information and assist taxpayers in preparing returns.

OPEN HIGHWAYS ARE NEEDED.

State Highways in This Section Should Be Kept Open for Motor Traffic.

Since the late fall of snow, completely closing the state roads in this section to motor car traffic, there has been a perceptible slackening of business activity in the city and it requires no great power of discernment to disclose that a persistent effort should be made another winter to keep the main state highways leading to this city open to motor buses and all kinds of motor vehicles.

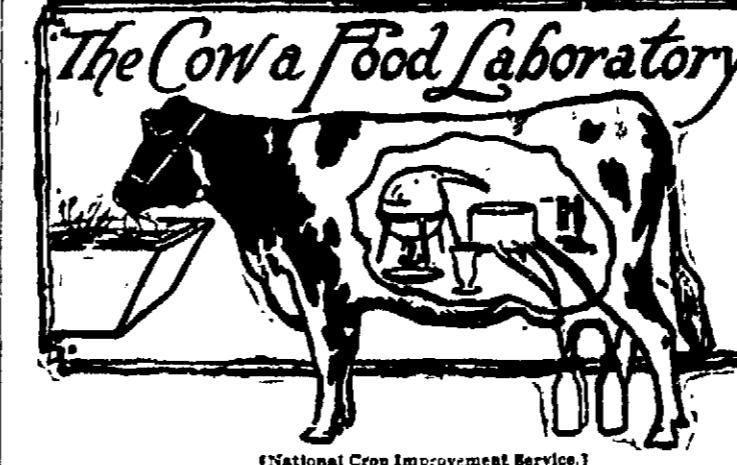
It would require no great outlay on the part of any town and the benefits to accrue would be many.

The experience over in the Butter-nut valley should be worthy of more than passing notice. As noted in The Star of yesterday, when it became impossible for the trucks to carry the milk from Morris and vicinity to Mt. Upton, the shipping point, a Linn tractor was hitched to a couple of road machines and the highway was cleared to a width of 14 feet and truck and other motor driven vehicles are passing over it. The cost was trifling compared with the monetary value of the use of the highway.

It is understood that the town of Davenport has purchased one of the tractors for its use. It is not improbable that other tractors could be found along the Sidney, Cooperstown and Cobleskill highways which could be available for use in clearing the roads of snow during the winter months.

Almost Cut in Half.

What? The fare of the River Street bus, by buying the special tickets. Twenty-four rides for \$1.50; good until used. Procure tickets from driver. Matilda M. Driggs. adrt 31



(National Crop Improvement Service.)

"WE READ A GREAT DEAL

about making better Americans, but how can we build a new breed of men without we start with the babies? It is impossible to improve our race unless we nourish the babies so that they may develop both physically and mentally.

"Therefore the dairy cow must be at the foundation of every industry," says Mr. Frank Baackes, vice president American Steel and Wire company.

"The cow is a most wonderful laboratory. She fills her stomach hopper with grain, grass and silage, then she lies down and by chewing her cud converts this raw material into the most perfect food in the world. Doctor McCullom tells us that the 'water soluble A' and the 'fat soluble B' two mysterious somethings, are found in milk and nowhere else. Without these myster-

ous vitamins children will not grow, so milk-fed babies have the greatest possible advantage over the well-reared children raised without milk to drink. How are they fed? Black coffee, pickles, imitation jams and molasses on their bread, which constitute the daily ration of thousands of our poor families.

"In Milwaukee there is a school to which children afflicted with malnutrition are sent. The improvement in mentality, health and weight is very marked. I believe that we ought to feed our children while we are attempting to educate them. This is one of the most important things Americans can do. Let us have more and better cows. Without milk children languish, the vigor of the adult declines and the vitality of the human race runs low.

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(COMPTROLLER'S CALL)

Resources	Liabilities
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Overdrafts 1,454.90	Surplus 100,000.00
U. S. bonds and certificates 330,050.00	Undivided profits 32,815.76
Banking house 25,000.00	Circulation 97,920.00
Other real estate 9,000.00	Deposits \$1,935,907.22
Due from banks 73,684.45	Cash, cash items and due from U. S. treasurer 3,498.12
Cash, cash items and due from U. S. treasurer 31,922.11	Due to banks 365.76
Bonds and securities ... 1,203,266.23	Discounts prepaid at Federal Reserve Bank 163,000.00
Interest accrued 5,869.34	Reserve Bank 32,485,466.80

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TRUST DEPARTMENT—You can name this bank as your executor; you can leave your securities with us in trust.

SAFE DEPOSIT—Absolute security, reasonable rentals.

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If not, step lively and "grab" some while the "grabbing" is good. We still have some good ones left.

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We have some especially fine offerings in Overcoats and Suits for Men and Young Men; also a fine assortment of Boys' Suits and Overcoats.

Just look at some of the prices listed below and be convinced:

MEN'S DEPARTMENT

\$40 Suits and Overcoats	\$29.75	\$10.50 Suits and Overcoats ..	\$ 7.50
\$45 Suits and Overcoats	34.50	\$12.50 Suits and Overcoats ..	8.95
\$50 Suits and Overcoats	39.50	\$15.00 Suits and Overcoats ..	11.45
\$55 Suits and Overcoats	43.95	\$17.50 Suits and Overcoats ..	13.45
\$60 Suits and Overcoats	48.50	\$21.50 Suits and Overcoats ..	16.95
		\$25.00 Suits and Overcoats ..	18.95

BOYS' DEPARTMENT

\$10.50 Suits and Overcoats ..	\$ 7.50

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They are, if you wear reading glasses only, and have to remove them to see distant objects. And it's still worse if you are tied to two pairs.

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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY.

8 a. m.	24
2 p. m.	28
8 p. m.	34
Maximum 40	Minimum 13

LOCAL MENTION.

The ladies of the Lutheran church will serve supper in the church dining room Saturday evening from 5 o'clock until all are served. Menu in Saturday's Star.

John W. and Arthur Westfall have recently purchased of Burton L. Gates the property at 1 and 3 Park avenue which the family has for some time been occupying. The same have also purchased of the Shearer Real Estate company a vacant lot adjoining.

Those city-officials who plan to attend the dinner at the Windsor hotel to discuss municipal affairs are requested to secure their tickets by noon today that provision may be made for reservations for all who wish to attend. The desire is that all elective and appointive officials of the city attend.

W. A. Lakin yesterday removed his barber shop from the basement of the Falls & Gardner block, which is soon to be occupied by the Mathews company, to the building at the rear of the Wilber National bank in the store adjoining that occupied by Frank A. Peck.

City Street Superintendent Bull with a force of men, yesterday commenced to clear the snow away from the gutters in the business section to provide for caring for the water in the event that the thaw continues. Progress was made and it is believed that the water can be kept from the sidewalks.

The members of the Order of the Moose and the ladies eligible to joining the Women of the Mooseheart Legion will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at K. of P. hall. A social evening will be enjoyed and refreshments will be served. All ladies not solicited for refreshments please bring sandwich.

A delightful entertainment was given at the Methodist church last evening, when the Young Women's Foreign-Missionary society presented a drama entitled "The Sweet Family." The program as given in yesterday's Star was admirably carried out and the evening's entertainment was one of unalloyed pleasure to all who attended.

Meetings Today.

Regular meeting of the W. B. A. O. T. M. this evening at 7:30. Initiation, social hour after meeting. Every member invited.

Regular meeting Veteran Firemen this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Luther league of the Lutheran church will hold a social this evening at 8 o'clock in the Sunday school room of the church. An interesting program has been arranged. The admission will be 15 cents.

The Jolly Tex Embroidery club will meet this afternoon with Mrs. Andrus, 6 River street.

The Church circle of the West End Baptist church will meet at the church this evening at 8 o'clock.

Regular meeting of L. O. O. M. at 8 p. m. at club rooms on Dietz street. All are cordially invited to attend.

Hydrant Not Frozen.

There has been quite a bit of rumor about the city that the hydrant at the corner of Church and High streets was frozen last Friday afternoon, when the Teachout residence was gutted by fire.

Chief Choate of the Fire department wishes to state through these columns that this was not the case. The firemen did experience some difficulty in opening the hydrant, because of the fact that workmen who had last been at the hydrant had used a much heavier wrench than the fire department can use and it took main strength to open the hydrant. Water was turned on the blaze as soon as the seat of the fire could be located, and work done to an advantage.

Woman's Club.

On Saturday, Jan. 31, at 2:30, a card party will be given in the rooms for the benefit of the Civic committee. All club members are urged to attend. Those who do not wish to play cards may bring their sewing or knitting and have a social time. Those who play cards please make up your tables and notify Mrs. Norman W. Getman as to the number of tables you wish reserved. Admission 25 cents. Light refreshments will be served.

For Sale.

Having disposed of my store at East End, I have on hand at Ford & Sons wholesale store, 12 barrels of four-eighth barrels of Neptune I will sell at \$13.50 per barrel; five barrels of Columbia at \$18 per barrel. Delivered anywhere in the city. Telephone your order to 52 Dietz street. advt 11

Too Many Tires.

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Our annual January clearance is over, but as we took inventory, the above items appeared and we should be glad to get them off our hands before closing our books.

DR. ALFRED HILLER DEAD

Reverend Professor Emeritus of Hartwick Seminary Dies Suddenly Last Evening—Funeral Friday.

Dr. Alfred Hiller, for 63 years a minister of the English Lutheran church, and since 1881 professor of theology at Hartwick Seminary, his alma mater, died suddenly at 8:35 o'clock Tuesday evening at his home in that place. Though for some time he was known to have been suffering from heart trouble, his condition had not been such as to occasion any anxiety. Yesterday he appeared to be in his usual health and at 4 p. m. was walking on the porch of his residence. A little after 6 o'clock, however, his breathing became labored, and he gradually failed, and two hours later he died.

Mr. Cronauer formerly occupied the Lambert farm at North Franklin, and not so many years ago was engaged as a farm laborer in that vicinity. He has by application and hard work succeeded at farming. For the past three years he has been superintendent of a large farm for a wealthy gentleman near Wilkes-Barre, but buys because he desires to return to this section of New York to reside. He considers himself fortunate to secure so good a farm and in such a desirable locality.

Mr. Green has no plans for the future, selling because he was offered his price, which is said to approximate \$20,000. His dairy is said to be one of the best in this section and the land in a high state of cultivation. It was formerly owned and occupied by the late Truman Williams.

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Delmar, N. Y.—"In February 1919 I was all rundown in health. I lost my appetite and when I did eat I would bloated and have pain in my sides, so when meal time came I would wish I didn't have to eat. I had indigestion, dizziness and shortness of breath, so I felt that life was not worth living until I heard of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Tablets and decided to try them. I wasn't sorry that I did for they made me feel fine. The Discovery is a wonderful tonic and I advise any person who is weak and sickly to try it—it will not disappoint."—MISS IRENE HUBA.

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D. B. CORNELL LOSES OUT.

Court Orders Change in Venue on Farm Sale Case to Delaware County.

Several years ago J. Clark Nesbitt of Bloomingville listed his farm for sale with the D. B. Cornell company of Great Barrington, Mass., the head of which concern is D. B. Cornell, a former merchant of this city, but who for several years has been engaged in the real estate business in Massachusetts. Nesbitt, it is stated, never heard further from Cornell and never had even a prospective customer through the agency, but when he sold his farm the agency demanded from him a withdrawal fee of 10 per cent on the purchase price, which Nesbitt refused to pay, or an part of it.

Cornell thereupon commenced suit in New York city, which he claimed as his residence. Nesbitt at once employed O'Connor & O'Connor as his attorneys and a motion was made for a change of venue from New York city to Delaware county. At a recent motion term in that city C. R. O'Connor appeared for Nesbitt and showed by affidavits that Looker, an agent for Cornell, had listed no less than 20 farms, stating to each farmer that there would be no fee or charge if the company did not make a sale, except the \$20 paid at the time to him for listing and advertising. Affidavits also showed that Cornell's home was at Great Barrington and not in New York city. The court accordingly ordered the place of trial changed to Delaware county. \$19 costs being also granted.

"These farmers," says the Delaware Express, "who listed with his company and who have never sold or withdrawn, would like to have Cornell come up in Delaware county and test out his contract before a court and jury. If his contract is legal and binding, as he claims it is, he will do it, but we never expect to see him in this neck of the woods again."

It is stated that suit for the withdrawal fee has frequently been brought by the Cornell agency, and that a good many farmers have settled for from \$25 to \$100 or even more, rather than have litigation.

Cubs Pounce on White Sox.

The Cubs took two out of three games from the White Sox in the Y. M. C. A. bowling tournament Tuesday evening. Graves was the high man, rolling 206, 154 and 206.

The scores:

CUBS.

McClellan	165	165	165
Bolton	161	148	148
Sackett	118	162	124
Benedict	117	166	149
Dunn	97	179	184
Totals	668	820	770

WHITE SOX.

Platt	147	147	147
A. Palmer	123	123	123
Damashke	128	160	131
H. Palmer	148	148	148
Graves	206	154	206
Totals	752	732	755

Cheap flavoring extracts are dearest in the end. Baker's vanilla costs no more than the cheap kind. advt 6t

AN EXAMPLE IN FORESTRY

A. D. Coffin of Oneonta Tells His Personal Experiences Long Ago in Middlefield—How Acorns and Chestnuts Grow Into Paradise.

During the past few months a great deal has been said in the local press regarding the problem of reforesting, and no less than four towns of the county of Otsego are planning to take immediate steps toward the purchase of denuded areas on which to plant forests of pine, spruce, and other timber for the benefit of a later if not the present generation. So firm a hold has the project taken and so many inquiries have been received regarding it, that it has come to be known as "the Otsego idea," and if it is carried out, as undoubtedly it will be, it will go along with its good roads projects, and its accredited herds, as one of a trinity of propositions which will go far to make it "the best county in the state to live in."

A. D. Coffin of East Oneonta, who was in The Star office yesterday, told the story of personal experiences some sixteen years ago, when he was a boy upon the farm of his father, F. S. Coffin, of Middlefield. "At that time," said Mr. Coffin, "my father had just finished clearing a hemlock tract of about eight acres on the Middlefield hills. All the logs and bark had been drawn away, and there was very little undergrowth of any kind, save a few of the smaller hemlocks. Schuyler Cummings, a leading hop grower of Middlefield in the early '60's, had just finished a tract of about four acres near his dwelling, and had planted it with chestnuts and acorns, which he proposed to grow into a forest. My father saw the field one day in the fall and on coming home told me and a hired man to go out into the woods and to gather all the acorns and chestnuts we could, that he had the eight acre tract and that he was going to bear Schuyler."

The nuts were accordingly collected and one morning Mr. Coffin, his son and three other men started for the denuded hemlock hilltop, each armed with an axe, and taking positions about eight feet apart proceeded to plant the nuts, planting them about three to four feet apart in rows. Before night the nuts were exhausted, and the five men returned home, leaving about three acres unplanted, as indeed they ever after remained, being allowed to go up to chance-planted maples, birches and various scrub woods.

"From the first years," said Mr. Coffin, "the difference was notable. The straight rows of chestnut and oak trees could be seen from a long distance, and they prospered beyond belief, while the unplanted portion of the tract was merely a scrub timber lot. At the end of ten years the whole tract was cut over for hop poles, of which 8,000 were secured, worth at that time about 15 cents each; and of this number 6,000 were cut from the planted area, and the remainder of inferior quality from the scrub lot. The larger and thrifter trees, many of them too large for hop poles, were left and ten years later still, a large part of them were cut for posts for a wire hop yard of twelve acres; and so large were the trees that from many a butt log a foot in diameter were cut for sawing below the pole. A short time later I moved from the farm, and then the trees which remained had grown to a large size, and were sufficient in number to make a well-timbered forest, which now at least would be of great value."

When it is borne in mind that the trees grown on this deforested area were started from nuts and had no attention whatever after the planting, one can get some idea of what scientific tree-planting, from rooted trees and of approved and valuable varieties would be worth in any township. There are hundreds and perhaps thousands of acres in the county worth practically nothing except for tree planting, which would not only prove immensely valuable in a score of years, but would within a very short period greatly enhance the selling price of the farm on which they are located. This account of the experience of Mr. Coffin should be read by every Otsego farmer who has a barren wood lot; and by the officials of every township which is contemplating systematic reforesting.

Officers Elected.

At a meeting of the T. P. S. C. E. of the Main Street Baptist church, held last evening with Mrs. C. S. Pendleton at the presiding, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

President—Miss Gladys Eldredge. **Vice President**—Eve Blanchard. **Cor. Sec.**—Harriet Seymour. **Rec. Sec.**—Helen Elliott. **Asst. Rec. Sec.**—Maude Congdon. **Treasurer**—Agnes Hubert. **Asst. Treas.**—Amy Eldredge. **Chairman Committees**—Lookout Edith Carpenter; prayer meeting, Eve Blanchard; social Gladys Seymour and Ralph Bishop; missionary, Burton Hubert; good citizenship, Ruth Lamb; information, Zanah Tanner; good literature, Amy Eldredge; Sunday school, Victor Merchant; flower decoration and calling, William Fay; Fannie Hubbell; music, vocal, William Fay; instrumental, Maude Congdon.

Violations of Conservation Law. During the month of December there were two recoveries for violations of the fish and game law in the county of Otsego which for penalties were imposed as follows: Stephen Howe, New Berlin, taking skunks in closed season, \$11.50; K. B. Welch of Edinburg, setting traps for protected animals in closed season, \$11.50. In two cases William G. of Lordsville paid \$11.50 for hunting without license and Frank Tyler Jr. and Paul Taylor of Stamford \$15 each for taking raccoons in closed season.

During the month there were 465 violations reported in the state and the sum of \$2,975.50 was recovered by fines or civil actions.

Elbert Harris Gets Divorce.

"The Bird of Paradise." Richard Walton Tully's Hawaiian romance, "The Bird of Paradise," which Oliver Morosco, its producer, will present at the Oneonta theatre Friday night, January 30, dignifies the stage by its stellar truth. A drama that is quite exceptional for its absorbing interest, sound sense and right purpose. A performance which will appeal to every competent judge of good acting.

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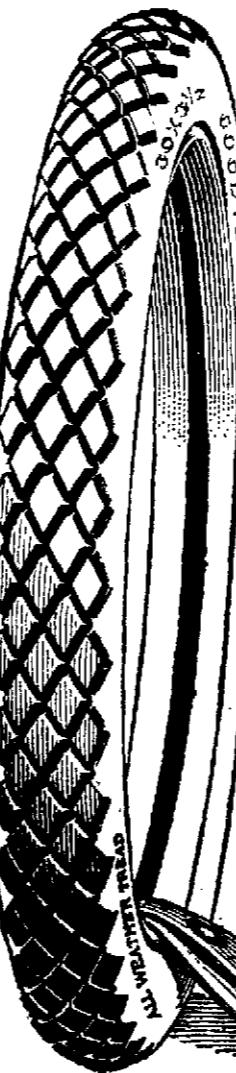
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